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FRIDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 7, 1856.

Col. Fremont's Shanderers.

A volume could be filled with unqualified

testimonials from eminent men of all parties,

in Congress and out of it—in speeches and

in official reports, in favor of the high character

and great desert of Col. Fremont before he

was nominated. No man in the nation had

a nobler reputation for energy, integrity,

gallantry and indomitable perseverance as a

man and as an officer—for the great service

he had done his country, and for his comprehension

and patriotic aims. His private

character was irreproachable.

But he was a resolute and unflinching

friend of freedom—vehemently opposed to the

extension of slavery beyond its present limits

—a friend of Free Kansas, who had been a

resolute worker for Free California; and he

was nominated to the Presidency by men of

kindred spirit. That was enough for the

allegiance of the slave power, and they

were not slow to make it a large and

plausible pretext for the most unscrupulous

and unprincipled attacks upon him.

They dared not confine the contest to the

essential questions of principle and policy on

which the nation is divided, and so they gave

themselves to the work of falsehood and

slandering. By this means they hoped to distract

the minds of voters and keep them from

seeing the real issues of the contest.

The incessant stream of false accusations,

of low-lived, dirty slanders which the adminis-

tration journals and the Filmore journals,

which under another name labor for the same

end, have continued to pour forth against Col.

Fremont from the day of his nomination to the

present moment, exceeds anything of the sort

which the history of our country can show.

As the acts of the pro-slavery clergy are

founded on the misapprehension of his

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The Boston Torch-Light Procession.

Of Wednesday evening last, according to

accounts, must have been a splendid affair

indeed—perhaps more so than any thing of

the kind which has taken place during the

campaign. The Journal occupies nearly a

page in descriptions of the banners, trans-

parencies, and political devices which were

brought forward to show the enthusiasm of

the people for Freedom and Fremont. The

procession was six miles long. The caval-

cade contained by actual count over one

thousand horses. Very many of the riders

bore in their hands beautiful American flags,

with "Fremont and Dayton" on them.

It was beyond question one of the finest dis-

plays of horsemanship ever seen in Boston.

10,000 persons were in the procession. De-

legations were present from other places,

under appropriate banners and marshals.

Almost the entire route of this mammoth

procession was rendered nearly as light as day

by the incessant discharge of fireworks, not

only from the ranks of the procession itself,

but from the buildings on both sides of the

route, over windows and balconies of which

were crowded with snuffing faces, beaming

through a nimble storm of waving hand-

kerchiefs.

Of the numerous tableaux represented in

the procession were No. 2, representing

"KANSAS, FAIR DOMAIN OF LIBERTY AND

INDUSTRY."

In the centre was a female figure, holding

in either hand branches of the olive and the

palm, and on either side of her "horns of

plenty," pouring forth of their abundance

the rich products of the field. On one side

the inscription quoted above, and on the

other "Peace hath her Victories as well as

War." On her forehead the female wore a

glittering star. Beneath was a representation

of the fertile fields of Kansas in their na-

tive richness and luxuriance. In the fore-

ground, the plow and other implements of

agriculture. In the back ground, the hum-

ble cottage of the settler, with his little ones

at play beneath the shadow of the trees; his

cattle reclining upon the banks of the beau-

tiful stream, on which was seen the steam-

boat gliding gracefully along. In each corner

of the transparency was a star. The whole

design was beautiful.

Tableau No. 3 came next, and represented

"BORNE RUPTURE METHOD OF MAKING A

STAR."

In the front was seen a numerous looking

band of ruffians armed to the teeth, having

a ballot box from which he was scattering the

free State votes, like the leaves of autumn.

And substituting in their place a handful of

those of the Ruffians. In the background

was represented the hanging to a tree of a

free State man who had dared to exercise the

right of suffrage and vote for Kansas.

At the other corner was a scene of voting

at the polls, and in the center, one of whom

in possession of the ruffians, and who was

cheering his fellows on in their murderous

work. Motto—"Consequence of the

Kansas Nebraska Act."

No. 7, entitled

"CHAINS NOT ALONE FOR THE BLACK MAN."

The painting represented John Brown and

his companions arrested by the United States

troops, chained to a machine, and driven off

to prison before a company of United

States soldiers, who were hurrying their

prisoners along as they would have driven a

herd of buffaloes. The motto was, "Free

man, never, never, never." This painting

was very fine, and attracted much atten-

tion. One of the most beautiful tableaux had

an inscription over it

"JESSE."

But that was needless, for the painting

told its own story. In the centre of a piece

of ornamental scroll work was a portrait

of a man, and on either side of it a child,

one of whom was a portrait of a child,

and the other a portrait of a child. The

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Col. Fremont Judged by his Contemporaries.

James Buchanan, the Democratic candi-

date for President of the United States, testif-

ied on oath:

"His (Col. Fremont's) services were very valua-

ble to the country, and in the conquest of

California, and in my opinion, better entitled to

be called the conqueror of California than any other

man."

Senator Butler of South Carolina said:

"His (Col. Fremont's) was a career of rare en-

dowment, of rare abilities."

Hon. John C. Calhoun, the idolized states-

man of South Carolina, said:

"I have acquainted with the Colonel, and I am

so favorably impressed as to him, that I would

trust him as any other individual. His

integrity is beyond suspicion."

Senator Rust of Texas said:

"I regard Col. Fremont as one of the most heroic

and successful of our army—any army of

which any nation might be proud."

Senator Bagley of North Carolina said:

"I agree with the Senator from Texas, that he

is a man of a mind of extraordinary merit and</